



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

October 2022 Grand Jury

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ARNOLDO MERAZ,

Defendant.

SA CR 8:22-cr-00184-JWH

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[21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1),
(b)(1)(A)(vi): Possession with
Intent to Distribute Fentanyl]

The Grand Jury charges:

[21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(A)(vi)]

On or about September 30, 2022, in Orange County, within the
Central District of California, defendant ARNOLDO MERAZ knowingly and
intentionally possessed with intent to distribute at least 400 grams,
that is, approximately 436.6 grams, of N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-

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4-piperidinyll] propanamide (also known as "fentanyl"), a Schedule II
narcotic drug controlled substance.

A TRUE BILL

/s/
Foreperson

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